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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE



In New York, prices were 2 cents higher on larger sizes, and unchanged on mediums when compared to a day earlier. Overall, the undertone was slightly steadier, but still fully steady to firm. Demand varied from region to region but was generally reported in a range of moderate to very good. In some locations floor stocks were very short and in other locations supplies were reported as in close balance. Overall, offerings were not that available as producer's confidence remains strong due in part to interest from other producers and retail movement. Breaking stock offerings were limited and usually unavailable for a moderate to good demand. Light type hens were mostly adequate for the light to moderate demand.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL Prices to producers in IA-MN-WI were sharply higher for all sizes. Midwest delivered prices were unchanged with asking prices for next week's delivery were trending sharply higher for all sizes. Trade sentiment fully steady to firm. Retail demand was moderate to good but noted as down slightly from where it was last week. Loose egg movement was light to moderate. Supplies were balanced to close.

| | RANGE | MOSTLY | IA-MN-WI Prices paid to producers. | Range | Mostly |
|-------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 89-98 | 92-95 | LARGE | 87-96 | 91 |
| LARGE | 88-97 | 90-93 | MEDIUM | 77-83 | 81 |
| MEDIUM | 80-89 | 82-85 | SMALL | 54-58 | |

MIDWEST AREA: IA,IL,IN,KY,MI,MN,OH,NE,ND,SD,WI,WV, Western NY, and Western PA

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending sharply higher. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Demand into most channels was moderate to good. Supplies were about adequate to close balanced. Breaking stock offerings were limited for reduced to normal processing schedules. Light type hen offerings were adequate to at least adequate for the light to moderate demand.

| | RANGE | MOSTLY |
|-------------|--------|--------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 96-110 | 99-103 |
| LARGE | 92-106 | 97-101 |
| MEDIUM | 85-98 | 90-92 |

NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices were unchanged with asking prices for next week's delivery trending sharply higher for all sizes. Trade sentiment fully steady to firm. Cartoned egg demand was moderate to good. Loose egg sales were light to moderate. Supplies were balanced to tight. Central States breaking stock prices were higher. Demand was moderate to good for the unavailable to inadequate offerings. Floor stocks were closely balanced to very tight. Schedules mixed. Trade sentiment firm.

| | RANGE | MOSTLY |
|-------------|----------|--------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 97.5-106 | 99-102 |
| LARGE | 96.5-105 | 98-101 |
| MEDIUM | 87.5-96 | 89-92 |

SOUTH CENTRAL AREA: AR,AZ,CO,KS,LA,MO,NM,OK, and TX

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged, however asking prices for next week's deliveries are trending sharply higher on all sizes. The market tone was full steady to firm entering the weekend. Retail and distributive demand was irregular but usually moderate to very good. Supplies were in close balance to short of immediate needs. Breaking stock offerings were irregular, but generally short of a fairly good demand. Spent hens were mostly adequate for the light to moderate demand.

| | RANGE | MOSTLY |
|-------------|-----------|--------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 74.25-105 | 99-102 |
| LARGE | 73.25-103 | 97-100 |
| MEDIUM | 68.25-94 | 87-91 |

SOUTHEAST AREA: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, Eastern TN, and Southern VA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

NEW YORK EGGS Prices were 2 cents higher on larger sizes, although unchanged on medium when compared to Thursday's values. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm entering the weekend. Demand was moderate to mostly good. Supplies were at best adequate to close for needs.

| | RANGE |
|-------------|---------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 125-129 |
| LARGE | 123-127 |
| MEDIUM | 111-115 |

MIDWEST REGIONAL

| | RANGE | MOSTLY |
|-------------|--------|--------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 96-104 | 97-99 |
| LARGE | 94-102 | 95-97 |
| MEDIUM | 86-94 | 87-89 |

WESTERN REGIONAL Prices unchanged. Trade sentiment very firm with asking prices for next week 18- 19 cents higher on jumbo and extra large, 17-18 cents higher on large and 15-16 cents higher on medium. Retailer demand light except to cover features. Offerings short.

CALIFORNIA Prices unchanged. The market tone was very firm with asking prices for next week 19 cents higher on jumbo and extra large, 18 higher on large and 16 cents higher on medium and small. Retailer demand light outside features but exceeded available offerings. Small benchmark price 105.

CALIFORNIA Shell egg marketer's benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons, cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

| | RANGE |
|-------------|-------|
| JUMBO | 141 |
| EXTRA LARGE | 140 |
| LARGE | 134 |
| MEDIUM | 125 |

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

PRICES TO CONSUMERS MAJOR CHAINS, METROPOLITAN AREA, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, CENTS PER DOZEN.

| | RANGE |
|-------------|---------|
| JUMBO | 279-339 |
| EXTRA LARGE | 249-339 |
| LARGE | 199-309 |
| MEDIUM | 189-245 |

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

| | RANGE |
|-------------|---------|
| JUMBO | 125-129 |
| EXTRA LARGE | 123-128 |
| LARGE | 121-124 |
| MEDIUM | 112-115 |

CENTRAL REGION BREAKING STOCK All prices were higher. Offerings were unavailable to inadequate. Demand continued moderate to good. Off-line operations worked in a hand to mouth manner from regular commitments and company owned production. Floor stocks closely balanced to tight. Schedules mixed. Trade sentiment steady to firm. Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

RANGE MOSTLY

BREAKING STOCK 52-54
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES 38-45 41-43
CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, WI

EASTERN REGION BREAKING STOCK Mostly prices were sharply higher than early week trading. Trade sentiment remains fully steady to firm as floor stocks were reported as short to barely adequate. Overall, offerings were very limited and irregular with better quality eggs moving into grading channels. Demand was generally good. Breaking schedules were normal to less than normal due in part to a lack of product. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 13-Jan-2007 were 6% higher than the previous week, but 11% lower than a year ago.

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

RANGE MOSTLY

BREAKING STOCK 45-53 49-51
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES 35-42 36-39
EASTERN STATES AREA: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, ME, MD, MA, MS, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, WV

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION- W/E 13-JAN-07
(LBS IN THOUSANDS) (EXCLUDES INGREDIENTS)

| | CASES BROKEN | LIQUID WHOLE | LIQUID WHITE | LIQUID YOLK | DRIED | INED |
|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-------|-------|
| CW | 1,239,992 | 30,867 | 11,196 | 5,936 | 2,663 | 4,474 |
| PW | 1,149,401 | 28,538 | 10,345 | 6,151 | 2,917 | 3,976 |
| LY | 1,317,037 | 31,203 | 12,634 | 7,159 | 3,209 | 4,603 |
| % PW | 8% | 8% | 8% | -4% | -9% | 13% |
| % LY | -6% | -1% | -11% | -17% | -17% | -3% |
| 2007 | 2,389,393 | 59,405 | 21,541 | 12,087 | 5,580 | 8,450 |
| 2006 | 2,510,947 | 61,403 | 23,415 | 13,026 | 5,905 | 8,635 |
| % YTD | -5% | -3% | -8% | -7% | -6% | -2% |

CW PW LY

Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included) 42.32 42.64 42.22
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded) 38.71 39.18 38.72

IN-LINE PRODUCTION (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material)

| | Cases Broken | | Liquid whole | |
|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| | Cases | % of Total | Lbs. | % of Total |
| CURRENT WEEK | 587,449 | 47.4% | 16,639 | 53.9% |
| PREVIOUS WEEK | 581,916 | 50.6% | 15,790 | 55.3% |
| LAST YEAR | 584,682 | 44.4% | 15,656 | 50.2% |

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized whites and salted yolk continued too few to report. Trade sentiment remains firm for all liquid products. Offerings were tight to barely adequate for whole egg, adequate for whites, and adequate to barely adequate for yolk. Demand was light to moderate for whole egg, good for whites, and fairly good to instances good for yolk. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were higher for all liquid products. Breaking stock prices were higher when compared to the previous week's reported prices.

Prices paid cents per lb., FOB Plant to 10:00 AM non-pasteurized trucklot. For delivery within 14 days.

| CLASS LOADS | RANGE | WTD. AVG. | CHANGE FROM LW |
|-------------|---------|-----------|----------------|
| WHOLE 21 | 38.5-43 | 40.96 | 7.74 |
| WHITES 25 | 37-52 | 41.48 | 6.90 |
| YOLKS 14 | 42-52 | 44.55 | 3.56 |

CENTRAL REGION FROZEN All frozen prices were higher to sharply higher with asking prices for future deliveries continuing to gain strength. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm for all frozen products. Offerings were adequate to closely balanced with demand moderate to fairly good. Processors were unwilling to offer hard prices for extended time periods as prices ramp up. Breaking stock prices were higher when compared to the previous week's reported prices. Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers) - TRUCKLOTS

RANGE MOSTLY

WHOLE 53-62 57-60
WHITES 52-65 54-56
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 60-62
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 55-62 56-61

EASTERN REGION FROZEN Prices were all higher with early week sales at the lower side of markets when compared to a week earlier. Demand was fair to good. Supplies were about adequate to short of full trade needs. Raw costs were trending sharply higher than a week earlier. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 13-Jan-2007 were 2% less than the previous week, and 12% lower than a year ago.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

| | TRUCKLOTS (MIN. 25 CONT.) | | LTL |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------|-------|
| | RANGE | MOSTLY | RANGE |
| WHOLE | 50-62 | 53-56 | 58-64 |
| BLENDS (/) | TFEWR | | |
| WHITES | 50-65 | 52-56 | 57-64 |
| SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) | 55-62 | 57-61 | 63-71 |
| SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) | 52-62 | 53-57 | 59-66 |

(/) - Whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FROZEN Prices 6 cents higher on whole and whites, 3 cents higher on yolks. Southern California breaking activity for the week ending 1/13 was 44% more than the previous week. Demand moderate. Freezer stocks adequate.

Wholesale selling prices, FOB Shipping point (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.)

| | RANGE |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| WHOLE | 61-65 |
| WHITES | 60-63 |
| SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) | 64-67 |
| SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) | 61-64 |

NATIONAL DRIED All prices were sharply higher when compared to a week earlier with early week trading at the lower side of markets. Demand was moderate to good. Offerings were limited and barely adequate for immediate needs. Trade sentiment was fully steady to mostly firm. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 13-Jan-2007 were 9 % less than the previous week, and 17 % lower than a year ago. The total year to date production of dried eggs produced were 6 % lower than a year earlier.

Wholesale selling prices, dollars per lb., in cont., Trucklot and LTL volumes.

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| WHOLE | 1.90-2.35 | MOSTLY 1.95-2.12 |
| YOLKS | 1.28-1.60 | MOSTLY 1.30-1.40 |
| ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED | 3.65-4.35 | MOSTLY 3.80-3.95 |
| BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER) | 1.48-1.80 | |

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR JAN 12, 2007-JAN 18, 2007

| CURRENT LOADS | | | | | | | | 66.75 | TOTAL LOADS | | | | | | | | 167.00 |
|---------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|--------|--------|-----|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| | | SE | | NE | | MW | | | SC | | NW | | SW | | | | |
| CLASS | ORG | DST | ORG | DST | ORG | DST | LOADS | | CLASS | ORG | DST | ORG | DST | ORG | DST | LOADS | |
| GNR W XL | — | 81.00 | — | — | — | — | 1.00 | | GNR W 1 | — | 90.66 | — | — | — | — | 34.00 | |
| GNR W 1 | 85.83 | — | 87.75 | 87.36 | 84.50 | 85.00 | 61.00 | | GNR W 2 | — | 78.00 | — | — | — | — | 2.00 | |
| GNR W 2 | — | — | — | 94.00 | — | — | 4.00 | | GNR BR 1 | — | — | — | 97.00 | — | — | 1.00 | |
| GNR BR 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1.00 | | GL W J | 108.00 | 108.00 | — | — | 120.00 | 119.25 | 5.00 | |
| GL W J | — | — | 104.75 | 109.00 | 99.75 | — | 4.00 | | GL W XL | — | 107.08 | — | 108.00 | — | 109.03 | 18.75 | |
| GL W XL | — | 106.85 | 99.60 | 101.42 | 96.26 | — | 32.25 | | GL W LG | 109.00 | 103.25 | — | 108.50 | — | 105.75 | 55.50 | |
| GL W LG | — | 105.76 | 99.00 | 98.71 | 93.93 | 98.40 | 77.75 | | GL W MD | 83.70 | 84.00 | — | 90.60 | — | 92.15 | 25.25 | |
| GL W MD | 85.00 | 85.25 | 84.38 | 87.00 | 81.04 | — | 31.00 | | GL W SM | 57.00 | — | — | — | — | 62.75 | 1.00 | |
| GL W SM | — | — | 57.50 | 60.75 | 55.00 | 57.00 | 3.00 | | GL BR XL | — | — | — | 117.00 | — | 110.29 | 2.25 | |
| GL BR XL | — | — | 105.00 | — | 97.00 | — | 2.25 | | GL BR LG | — | — | — | 115.00 | — | 108.75 | 1.50 | |
| GL BR LG | — | — | — | — | 97.75 | — | 1.50 | | | | | | | | | | |
| NRBS - 48 | — | — | — | — | — | 45.00 | 1.00 | | | | | | | | | | |

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES ARE LISTED FOR VARIOUS CLASSES PRICED BY ORIGIN AND/OR DESTINATION FOR 6 REGIONS. THE LOADS COLUMN REFLECTS TOTAL LOADS REPORTED AND INCLUDES LOADS WITH PRICES TO BE DETERMINED LATER. NRBS CATEGORIES REPRESENT NET WEIGHT-MATERIAL MAY OR MAY NOT BE INCLUDED. LOAD MOVEMENT REPRESENTS TOTAL MOVEMENT WITHIN 6 REGIONS.

LIGHT TYPE HENS

CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS

(INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER CHARGES,
WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

EASTERN REGION LIGHT LIVE HEN Prices were unchanged when compared to a week earlier. Demand ranged light to moderate. Offerings were adequate to at least adequate for current needs. Processing schedules were normal to instances less than normal. Trade sentiment was steady.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| | RANGE | MAJORITY |
| REMOVAL COST | 5-12 | 8-10 |

SOUTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN Trading was limited and TFEWR. Demand was moderate for fully adequate offerings of spent hens. Finished sales were fair. Schedules were reduced. Disposal costs were expected to remain steady.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | RANGE | MAJORITY |
| REMOVAL COST | TOO FEW TO REPORT | |

NORTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN All prices were unchanged. Offerings were adequate to instances fully adequate with demand seasonally light to moderate. Schedules were full-time for next week. Trade sentiment steady.

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| | RANGE | MAJORITY |
| REMOVAL COST | 4.5-9 | 7-9 |

SHELL EGGS-COMBINED REGIONAL

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

| | REGIONS | | |
|-------------------|---------|--------|-------|
| EX LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM | |
| NORTHEAST | 101.00 | 99.00 | 91.00 |
| SOUTHEAST | 100.50 | 98.50 | 89.00 |
| MIDWEST | 93.50 | 91.50 | 83.50 |
| SOUTH CENTRAL | 100.50 | 99.50 | 90.50 |
| COMBINED REGIONAL | 98.90 | 97.19 | 88.55 |

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Trading for heavy canners were too few to report; generally unchanged on lights when compared to the previous week. Offerings of both light and heavy canners were generally sufficient for current needs with most available supplies of heavy canners being used internally. Demand was fair to moderate. Processing schedules were normal to less than normal. The undertone was steady to at least steady.

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, WITHOUT FREIGHT COST

| | |
|--|---|
| LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS) | HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS) |
| 18-28 MAJORITY 24-24.5 | TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT |

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, FREIGHT COST INCLUDED

| | |
|--|---|
| LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS) | HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS) |
| 20-30 MAJORITY 26.5-27 | TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT |

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER INSPECTION W/E 06-Jan-07

**** Due to the Holiday in Canada the data for Jan. 13 will be released when it is available****

U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically

| | Light Hens | Heavy Hens | Total Hens |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Thousands | | |
| Head | 886 | 1,326 | 2,212 |
| Last Week | 1,056 | 782 | 1,838 |
| Same week yr ago | 1,275 | 1,400 | 2,675 |
| To-date/2007 | 886 | 1,326 | 2,212 |
| To-date/2006 | 1,275 | 1,400 | 2,675 |

U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada

| | Light Hens | Heavy Hens | Total Hens |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Thousands | | |
| Head | 54 | 0 | 54 |
| Last Week | 78 | 0 | 78 |
| Same week yr ago | 115 | 0 | 115 |
| To-date/2007 | 54 | 0 | 54 |
| To-date/2006 | 115 | 0 | 115 |

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Total U.S. fowl slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada

| | Light Hens | Heavy Hens | Total Hens |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Thousands | | |
| Head | 940 | 1,326 | 2,266 |
| Last Week | 1,134 | 782 | 1,916 |
| Same week yr ago | 1,390 | 1,400 | 2,790 |
| To-date/2007 | 940 | 1,326 | 2,266 |
| To-date/2006 | 1,390 | 1,400 | 2,790 |

SOURCE: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis Branch

INSPECTED EGG PRODUCTS-**U.S. & CANADA IMPORT/EXPORT TRADE**

**** Due to the Holiday in Canada the data for January 06 will be released when it is available****

U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

| Week Ending December 30, 2006 | | Year-To-Date | | |
|-------------------------------|------|--------------|---------|--------|
| TYPE | 2006 | 2005 1/ | 2006 2/ | 2005 |
| Liquid | 257 | 262 | 12,247 | 18,215 |
| Frozen | 0 | 0 | 175 | 59 |
| Dried | 0 | 40 | 747 | 901 |
| Total | 257 | 302 | 13,169 | 19,175 |

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

| Week Ending December 30, 2006 | | Year-To-Date | | |
|-------------------------------|------|--------------|---------|-------|
| TYPE | 2006 | 2005 1/ | 2006 2/ | 2005 |
| Liquid | 112 | 27 | 5,719 | 6,680 |
| Frozen | 3 | 0 | 919 | 677 |
| Dried | 0 | 0 | 66 | 371 |
| Total | 115 | 27 | 6,704 | 7,728 |

Inspected Shell Eggs**U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)**

| Week Ending December 30, 2006 | | Year-To-Date | | |
|-------------------------------|-------|--------------|---------|---------|
| TYPE | 2006 | 2005 1/ | 2006 2/ | 2005 |
| Jumbo | 0 | 0 | 150 | 184 |
| Extra Large | 1,265 | 2,330 | 93,536 | 198,874 |
| Large | 3,190 | 4,230 | 184,998 | 360,485 |
| Medium | 1,798 | 802 | 88,800 | 113,407 |
| Ungraded | 0 | 0 | 256,158 | 236,374 |
| Misc | 0 | 0 | 6,975 | 9,753 |
| Total | 6,253 | 7,362 | 630,617 | 919,077 |

1/ Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

2/ Includes revisions to previous week(s).

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Source: USDA/AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis Branch.

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS - Selected Centers (Incl. Gov't Stocks)

| | | Frozen Eggs/LBS | Turkeys/LBS | Processed other Poultry/LBS |
|---------|----------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| | | (THOUSANDS) | | |
| AM | 01/15/07 | 3,267 | 43,879 | 60,243 |
| AM | 01/01/07 | 3,256 | 36,813 | 60,489 |
| CHG | | 11 | 7066 | -246 |
| PCT CHG | | 0% | 19% | 0% |

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT

(Receipts From Producers)

| W/E 13-JAN-2007 | CASES | PERCENT CHANGE FROM | |
|--------------------|-----------|---------------------|----|
| REGIONS | (INTHOUS) | LW | LY |
| North Atlantic | 182.4 | 1 | -2 |
| East North Central | 671.3 | 3 | 7 |
| West North Central | 297.7 | -1 | 0 |
| South Atlantic | 177.3 | -1 | -8 |
| South Central | 65.7 | 15 | 3 |
| West | 191.5 | 1 | -3 |
| Total | 1585.9 | 2 | 1 |

Matched plants reporting 82 82

Areas Covered: North Atlantic (ME,VT,MA,RI,CT,NH,NY,PA,NJ,MD,DE)

East North Central (WI,IL,MI,OH,IN) West North Central (IA,MN,MO,KS,SD)

South Atlantic (SC,NC,VA,GA,FL,KY) South Central (TN,AL,AR,MS,OK)

West (CA,CO,WA,OR,UT)

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS

| W/E 13-JAN-2007 | CW | LW | PERCENT CHANGE | |
|--------------------------|----------------|-------|----------------|-----|
| Selected | (In Thousands) | | LW | LY |
| Consuming Centers | | | | |
| Atlanta | 33.5 | 31.6 | 6 | 29 |
| Boston | 3.0 | 3.2 | -6 | -9 |
| Chicago | 67.3 | 87.5 | -23 | -24 |
| Detroit | 25.6 | 17.7 | 45 | 10 |
| Kansas City | 6.8 | 4.5 | 51 | 58 |
| Los Angeles | 110.8 | 99.3 | 12 | -3 |
| New Orleans | 5.8 | 5.0 | 16 | -16 |
| New York | 25.3 | 25.8 | -2 | -23 |
| St. Louis | 21.6 | 23.6 | -8 | 13 |
| San Francisco | 17.8 | 17.7 | 1 | -8 |
| Total | 317.5 | 315.9 | 1 | -6 |
| 4 Week Moving Avg. | 326.0 | | | |

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Jan 16, 2007

Prices paid per dozen Grade A Brown eggs in cartons delivered store door.

| | EXTRA LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM | SMALL |
|---------------|-------------|---------|---------|-------|
| MAINE | 151 | 148 | 123 | 81 |
| MOSTLY | - | - | - | - |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | 145-149 | 142-146 | 118-122 | 76-80 |
| MOSTLY | 147-148 | 144-145 | 120-121 | 78-79 |
| RHODE ISLAND | 152-156 | 149-153 | 124-128 | 81-85 |
| MOSTLY | 152 | 149 | 124 | 81 |
| VERMONT | 151-153 | 148-150 | 123-125 | - |
| MOSTLY | 151 | 148 | 123 | - |

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